

## LIVES LOST IN A FIRE.

TEN MEN ARE KILLED OUT-  
RIGHT AND MANY ARE  
INJURED.

Brave Men go to the Rescue but  
are Driven Back by  
Flames.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 14.—Fire early today destroyed a temporary water works crib two miles out in the lake, resulting in the death of at least ten men, while two others were probably fatally injured. In addition to a large number of workmen who were in the crib, eleven others were at work in the tunnel leading from it 200 feet below the bottom of the lake. As air which was pumped from the crib to supply the men working in the tunnel was cut off, it was at first supposed that these men had all perished.

### The Dead and Injured.

Subsequently, however, nine of the men in the tunnel were rescued after heroic work on the part of their fellow workmen.

It is said that two men are still in the tunnel, but those rescued state that one of these, Victor Kaufman, of Canton, is dead.

Following is a list of the dead and injured, so far as now known:

John Martina, drowned; Mike Snyder, drowned; Arthur Hasty, drowned; Victor Kaufman, Canton, suffocated; five men, names unknown, burned to death.

The injured:  
John Lee, broken back; O. Prudek, frightfully burned.

### Rescuing Parties.

Fire and harbor tugs with rescuing parties on board reached the crib soon after the flames broke out, but when they arrived the structure was a seething mass of flames and all hope of saving it was abandoned.

Men stark naked could be distinguished swimming and floating in the water, shouting for help. Others were clinging to ropes, which they had tied to the rafters, but the flames were

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## LARGE CROWD MEETS PRESIDENT SHAFFER.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 14.—The Associated Press correspondent at Wheeling reports that President Shaffer has arrived there in company with Rev. Dr. Fitzwilliams of Atlantic City. Shaffer is credited with saying that the charters of the Western lodges will be revoked and their effects of money spurned if Assistant Secretary Tighe fails to win them over.

A great crowd assembled to greet and hear President Shaffer.

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## HOW TO SETTLE THE SAN FRANCISCO STRIKE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—The following is the proposition to settle the strike:

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 11, 1901.  
Nap B. Greenfelder, city-Dear Sir:  
As per your request I hereby submit to you the basis upon which industrial activity can be restored:

First—The Employers' Association agrees that its members will not discriminate against any employer or labor because he employs union men only.

Second—The Employers' Association agrees that its members will not discriminate against any workman because he is a member of a labor union.

Third—The Employers' Association agrees to recommend that those who were locked out or who quit work as union men shall be reinstated as such. (Where the Association has no jurisdiction this does, of course, not apply.)

Fourth—Labor organizations agree that any member thereof shall, while in the

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WINTERS WAS PROMISED \$50,000 AND SIX MONTHS

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—John Winters, who worked the Selby Smelting Works for over \$300,000, will be taken back to Mariposa by Sheriff Neale of Contra Costa tonight. The Contra Costa sheriff telephoned this fact to Captain Seymour this morning and the local authorities now await his coming.

Winters says he is ready to go back and plead guilty to a charge of grand larceny or burglary but that he does so upon the sole condition that he will not be sentenced to more than six months

in the penitentiary.

In a statement this morning, volunteered after a week spent in making vehement denials and lapsing into absolute silence, Winters said that Mr. Ralston had agreed. In the presence of Sheriff Neale, he agreed to give him \$50,000 cash and buy a short sentence if he would divorce the place where the gold bullion was concealed.

The searchers have not been able to day to locate the rest of the missing bullion at the Selby plant but they believe they will recover the same in a short time.

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Individual Steel Safes for rent  
Four Dollars a year.

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# W. G. PALMANTEER TELLS OF VALUES.

The Banker Places a Price on  
Property of the Central  
Bank.

The Council met this morning at 10 o'clock as a Board of Equalization. There were present Councilmen Bishop, Bon, Boyer, Courtney, Cuvelier, Fitzgerald, Wixson and Schaffer.

W. G. Palmanter appeared for the Central Bank property, the realty of which is assessed for \$55,000 and the building for \$55,000.

He said that if the Council would do what he thought should be done under the circumstances, the assessment would be allowed to stand.

"The northern store," continued Mr. Palmanter, "is 60x100 feet. There is not a finer store in town. We have put in improvements of the best kind. Some people have told us that we were fifty years ahead of the times. We have one fine store which we are renting for \$125. If that store were located in some other parts of the city, it would command \$300, \$400, \$500 or perhaps \$600. Any real estate man can only value property upon its income. Take the life insurance companies in New York, and that is the way they base their valuation. We have paid \$20,000 in the last few years to keep the rooms in the building in an attractive condition. Even then the percentage of return which we get from those rooms and the building is less than we pay out to the depositors who favor us with their business in the bank. We have had to take money out of our business in order to maintain the building. Of course, this will not always be the case. We are now putting in a safe deposit which has no superior in any bank in the country. Some people have said that we were fools for doing this, but we have confidence in the future. There is a break on the line of the street which some one would fill with a building, we would be willing to give \$5,000 as a bonus."

Expert Gray said he appraised the corner bank property at \$750 per front foot. The inside lots at \$600 and \$500 according to location, making a total valuation of \$78,500.

Expert Jackson said he considered the property one of the best in the city. He valued the property at \$900 a front foot.

Mr. Cuvelier asked if there was one of the best corners why was it that some of the stores in the building were vacant part of the time and the best of them was renting for \$125 a month.

Mr. Courtney asked how much the bank had paid for the property.

Mr. Palmanter said that he had come here a tenderfoot ten years ago and had been jumped on by the real estate men. The factors were opposed to the price. The corner was secured. It cost about \$700 per front foot.

At the same time, the value of property should be determined by its income.

Mr. Schaffer asked if \$750 was not a fair valuation per front foot.

Mr. Palmanter said the time would come when it would be worth more than that. They would not sell it for that amount.

Mr. Courtney moved that the matter be taken under advisement.

Mr. Cuvelier moved to amend and have the matter acted on immediately.

Mr. Schaffer said that that could not be done because a resolution would have to be prepared in the premises and that had not been done.

The matter was taken under advisement. All present voted in the affirmative.

T. L. Prather appeared for the C. F. Drum property on San Pablo and Telegraph avenues. He said he had looked over the figures of the experts and found that they had raised the appraisal. He did not think the property was worth more than \$140,000. Mr. Drum felt that way too. Sixty per cent of that value he thought was the rate on which assessments were based.

Expert Gray said that there were 150 feet on San Pablo avenue. The shallowest was 97 feet and the deepest 130 feet. The south 75 feet was worth \$350 a foot. The north 75 feet was worth \$300 a foot. On the Broadway and Telegraph front the south 75 feet were worth \$300 and the north 75 feet \$250 a front foot.

Expert Jackson said his appraisal was the same as that of Expert Gray.

Mr. Schaffer said that the appraisal would represent an increase of \$18,000 over the assessment.

Mr. Prather could not give an idea off-hand as to the income from the rentals.

On motion of Courtney the matter was continued. The assessment was \$72,000 and the proposed assessment was \$90,000.

The property of C. R. Lewis on the

# CUT HIS THROAT WITH A KNIFE

# COAL VESSELS ARE TIED UP.

southeast corner of Clay and Fifteenth streets was brought up. It was first considered at last night's meeting. Expert Gray said he appraised the property at \$150 a front foot.

Lewis said he denied the expertness of Gray over 150 other real estate dealers. Besides, the opinion of the Assessor ought to be taken into consideration.

Gray said he was giving a cash value.

Expert Jackson valued the property at the same figure as Gray did.

The matter was taken under advisement.

Councilman Bon said he would represent Lizzie Moffitt in the assessment of lots 23, 24, and 25, block 83, on Eighth street between Broadway and Washington street.

Experts Gray and Jackson appraised the property at \$200 a front foot. The total assessment was \$12,000. The matter was taken under advisement.

The assessment of W. T. Hamilton on Thirteenth street near Washington was increased from \$8,900 to \$15,700.

INCREASING FIGURES.

The board then got down to increasing assessments and kept at it until long after 1 o'clock this afternoon, a sale being made in every instance save in the case of James McRae, in which a slight reduction was made.

PROTESTS.

Protests against changing the assessment were filed by H. A. Powell in behalf of Ernestine Delger; Chapman & Clift, in behalf of the James Eva Estate; and the estate of William Clift, and by A. S. Macdonald in his own behalf.

H. A. Powell protested on the following grounds: That the Board had no jurisdiction to increase the assessment; that a taxation upon any other basis than that of the assessment of the County Assessor was illegal and void; that an increase in the assessment was not necessary; that the property would appear as assessed at more than its full valuation; that the property would be taxed more than its just burden of taxation laid, and, finally, that the resolution to raise the assessment had been adopted before the testimony was taken as to the value of the property. The protest was filed.

Chapman & Clift's protest was made on the grounds that the assessment of the County Assessor was the full value of the property; that under the charter and the general law the Council had no jurisdiction in the premises to increase the assessment. Filed.

A. S. Macdonald protested on the ground of the inequity of making an increase in the valuation. Filed.

CHANGES MADE.

The changes made in the assessment were as follows:

Louis Northam, lots 12 and 13, block 158, from \$4,000 to \$6,000.

James Eva Estate, south 13 feet of lots 24 and 25, block 144, from \$7,000 to \$8,900.

Ernestine Delger, lots 4 to 23, block 180, from \$20,500 to \$21,400.

William Clift, lots 10, 11 and part of lot 12, from \$18,700 to \$33,000.

Ernestine Delger, lots 11, 12, 13, block 120, from \$42,000 to \$60,000.

Humboldt Savings and Loan Society, mortgage interest in lot 3, part of lot 25, part of lot 10, part of lot 11, block 146, from \$8,375 to \$9,525.

Maria I. Stone, lots 19 to 22 and part of lot 23, block 140, and improvements, from \$1,250 to \$2,025.

Minnie T. Thorn, portion of block at the southwest corner of Eleventh and Washington streets, from \$22,300 to \$25,000.

Henrietta Levy, property at south-west corner of Eleventh and Washington streets, improvements, from \$4,000 to \$6,700.

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Real Estate Combine, property near Broadway and Fourteenth street, from \$11,500 to \$15,600.

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Real Estate Combine, property on Broadway 175 feet north of Fourteenth street, from \$10,000 to \$12,500.

Real Estate Combine, property same vicinity, 150 feet north of Fourteenth street on Broadway, from \$10,000 to \$13,125.

Real Estate Combine, property on Broadway 200 feet north of Fourteenth street, from \$9,000 to \$11,250.

John R. Spring, northeast corner of Broadway and Fifteenth street, from \$25,100 to \$31,850.

Alice S. Blake, lots 6 to 10, block 257, from \$7,000 to \$10,000 for improvements.

Edson F. Adams, property near San Pablo avenue and Seventeenth street in block 1988, from \$10,000 to \$12,500.

Martin M. Dunn, lots 1, 2 and 3, City Hall tract, from \$20,000 to \$25,000.

Charles Camden, lots 4, 5, 6, 8, City Hall tract, from \$18,400 to \$25,375.

Oakland Railroad Company, electric railroads from \$5,100 to \$6,200.

Oakland, San Leandro and Hayward electric from \$32,000 to \$40,780.

Oakland Transit Company, on various lines, from \$13,050 to \$18,150.

Central Bank property, from \$10,000 to \$25,000, the increase being placed on the lot.

This practically completed the work of increasing assessments, bat the Board took an adjournment until this evening at 8 o'clock.

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# NON-UNION MEN ARE HOOTED BY STRIKERS.

## GO ON A STRIKE.

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—Amid the hooting and jeering of a hundred or more union pickets stationed around the Fraser and Chalmers plant, 29 non-union men were today safely landed to take the places of the union men out on strike.

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## CARRIAGE EMPLOYEES GO ON A STRIKE.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Aug. 14.—Two hundred employees of two carriage manufacturing companies struck today. Their grievance is that officers of their union have been selected by the companies for discharge. The manufacturers deny discrimination.

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## VICE-PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT TALKS TO THE VETERANS

HUTCHINSON, Kas., Aug. 14.—Vice-President Roosevelt, en route home from Colorado, stopped here for a short time and from the rear platform of his train addressed several thousand veterans attending the State G. A. R. reunion. Mr. Roosevelt spoke for fifteen minutes and aroused the crowd to great enthusiasm. He thanked the old soldiers in the name of the American people for their past valor and sacrifices, and referring briefly to civic life, warned them not to envy a life of ease.

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## CHARGED WITH FORGERY.

BERLIN, Aug. 14.—Max Opitz, proprietor of a large private bank in Berlin, was arrested today, charged with heavy defalcations and forgeries. His customers will lose several millions of marks.

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## DRAMATIST IS ILL.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Lorimer Stoddard, dramatist and actor, is reported to be seriously ill in a sanitarium at Liberty, N. Y.

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## CUT TO PIECES

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17th  
MONDAY, AUGUST 19th

4 lbs. very best Mocha  
and Java Coffee

...for \$1.00

(regular price 40c)

AN OLD FRENCHMAN  
SHOOTS HIMSELF IN HEAD

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Charles W. Ferrol, 66 years of age, shot himself in the head at his home in this city and died at an early hour today. He came to this country from France, and for many years was identified with the grape growing and wine making industries, being at one time largely interested in the vineyards of Lake Erie. Mr. Ferrol had been dependent late on account of ill-health.

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## THE FINNISH RECRUITS.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 14.—The number of Finnish recruits under the new system, has been fixed, preliminarily, at 500.

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## CREMATION.

The Odd Fellows' Cemetery Association, Point Lobos Ave., S. F. Cal.

The ordinance prohibiting burial in San Francisco after the first day of August does not refer to CREMATION.

Neither does it affect the COLUMBIUM.

Because there is nothing less harmful to the living than the ashes of their dead.

Permit to cremate will be issued by the Board of Health the same as heretofore.

GEORGE R. FLETCHER, Manager.

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## THE PROBLEM.

DOROTHY in the nursery can calculate the price of Ivory Soap per cake, but it would take a mathematical genius to calculate its true value. For he must take account of time, labor, and materials. He must deduct from the apparent cost the saving in the longer life of the cake, in the longer life of the washed fabric, in the labor required, in the time consumed, in the strength expended, in the results obtained. When all is finished, Ivory is the cheapest soap in the world. - It floats.

NEARLY LOST  
IN THE BAY.OAKLAND HARBOR  
NEWS NOTES.  
Highland Light is Discharging  
Under the Protection of  
the Police.

Oakland Men Have a Lively Experience While on a Fishing Trip.

The sloop Pearl of Oakland was capsized off the south end of Goat Island yesterday afternoon and for nearly half an hour the three occupants of the sloop clung to the bottom.

Captain Hemsworth of the ferry steamer Encinal discovered the men and sent out a boat to rescue them. They were Chas. Coleman of 629 Chestnut street, Oakland; J. Anderson, 1553 Third street, Oakland, and F. Peterson of 1015 Third street, Oakland. At the time of the accident the three men were engaged in a fishing expedition.

"The sloop had no ballast in her," said Coleman, "and she would not come about. I attempted to luff her, but the boat went around catching a stiff out of wind, the overturned her."

"I succeeded in getting up on the keel and helped the other two men up where the rescuers from the Encinal found us."

## HOTEL ARRIVALS.

CRELLIN—F. W. Ehrmann, Sacramento; C. Runderh, A. Runderh, Crockett; E. W. Beardsley, San Francisco.

METROPOLIS—Rev. D. M. Sterns and family, Germantown, Philadelphia, Pa.; Rev. Aug. E. Prichard, Los Angeles; L. D. Martin, Suisun; E. McGary, San Francisco.

TOULOUSE—Herr K. Stroud, Oshkosh, Wis.; Thos. P. Thompson, his wife, San Jose.

ALBANY—G. W. Leek, city; R. E. Impay, San Francisco; A. F. Cherry and family, Everett; Wash.; F. P. Oldrich, city; Miss Maude M. Hogue, Berkeley; H. C. Munson, Tacoma; Wash.; A. B. Lawson, H. A. Thomas, Midland, San Francisco.

GALINDO—W. Stevens, Berkeley.

## ARRESTED FOR THEFT.

Late yesterday afternoon Detective Holland succeeded in capturing the two thieves who stole Carl Schilling's valuables at the Piedmont Baths. They are John Reichman and Bernard Ivanovich, two youths under 20 years of age. A diamond ring and a part of the stolen money was found on Reichman, who confessed to the robbery, implicating Ivanovich. The watch was taken in the employ of Lehnhardt. His pal, Ivanovich, has been working in a tailor shop at 1055 Broadway. Both thieves have been identified by the cashier of the Piedmont Baths.

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**WINE OF CARDUI**

You can be cured without distressing publicity—in the privacy of your home. With these facts before you there is no reason for the delay which is increasing your misery and wasting the days of your life. Why not stop the pain today?

Belen, Miss., March 9, 1900.

I have used one bottle of Wine of Cardui and one package of Thedford's Black Draught. Before I began to take your medicines I had pains in my back, hips, lower bowels and my arms. Sometimes I thought I would go blind. My head ached and I was so weak I could hardly walk across the floor. Now I can only feel a little of the pain in my side and I am going to use your medicine until I get cured, for I believe they will certainly cure me. I have been married twelve years and am the mother of seven children. I thank you for your wonderful medicine and what it has done for me.

For advice and literature address, giving symptoms, "The Ladies' Advisory Department." The Chattanooga Medicine Company, Chattanooga, Tenn.

SPORTING NEWS  
OF THE WEEK.Reliance Club Managers Prepare  
an Excellent Boxing  
Program.

The boxing night which will be given at the Reliance Club next Tuesday evening is the absorbing subject of the members of that organization at this time. The program arranged promises to be the best given for a long time. The contestants are all well known, and unless something out of the ordinary happens there will be few dull moments in the gymnasium Tuesday night after the gong sounds for the first round.

The first of the final games to decide the handball championship of the club was won by the Jellett Brothers Tuesday evening by the remarkably close score of 51-50. Williamson and Mahoney played a good game, but their clever opponents were just a little too good. The defeated team does not feel discouraged, however, as there are still two games to be played, and they believe they still have a good chance to win. A large number of members witnessed the game and the contestants were warmly applauded for their fine work.

Applications continue to come in and at an adjourned meeting last evening several new members were elected. A special campaign will soon be inaugurated before the initiation fees are again placed at the old figure. There is every reason to believe that the membership will increase very materially during the next few weeks.

The bowling alley will be re-opened next week for the fall and winter season. Special prizes have been secured for the members making the best scores on the opening night. A series of prizes will be offered for the best scores during the season. With two of the best alleys in the State, there should be a boom in bowling this winter.

Charles Lefevre, who was one of the most active and popular of the club members a few years ago, has returned to Oakland and has been re-elected to membership in the club. He has returned to his old haunts with his customary vim and will have a hand in making things lively this winter. Charles was given a warm welcome by the members.

The members are considering the advisability of setting aside one day each week for the wives, sisters and lady relatives of the members.

If this should be done, the ladies will be given the exclusive use of the bowling alley, handball court, billiard room and gymnasium on these special days.

It is the general impression that such an arrangement would prove very satisfactory to all concerned. This would be in addition to the class days set apart for Mrs. McLean's party.

The gymnasium last evening was one of the largest seen in the gym for many months, fully fifty members being in gymnasium costume. Those who were in the club were treated to some very interesting boxing. George Baker, who is to box with Kid McDadden next Tuesday night, and Louie Long mixed things' for several rounds in a manner which pleased the spectators very much. They will work out together each evening this week. Baker has just returned from San Jose, where he has been training for the pink of condition for his go with McDadden. He is now at weight and feels strong. Before Baker and Long mixed up, Frank Cerini, the popular club bookkeeper, thought to give Baker a few pointers. When he finally stopped the flow of claret, Frank admitted that he was not as young as he used to be.

The strict enforcement of the rule prohibiting smoking in the gym has caused some amusing situations recently, not the least of which was last evening when Director Jim Jellett, engrossed in the bout, in progress, puffed furiously at his pipe. George, the porter, came sauntering across the floor and laying his hand on Jim's arm softly: "You're smoking in the gym, Mr. Jellett." The pipe nearly dropped from the mouth of the handball king, and he was soon seen sneaking upstairs.

NEWS NOTES FROM THE  
Y. M. C. A. GYMNASIUM

Monday evening the Board of Trustees met and transacted the regular business which came before it. A. E. Makar, an affable young man, formerly of Bethlehem, Pa., was appointed assistant secretary of the junior organization.

Rev. A. B. Prichard, who is in this city to attend the Bible Institute Conference to be held next Thursday and Friday, will preach next Sunday to men only on the subject of "A Young Man's Glory." The services will be held in the auditorium of the Y. M. C. A. Building.

The successor of Mr. Meyer, the director of physical culture in the junior department, is yet undetermined.

The revival in basket ball has brought many enthusiasts to the local gymnasium.

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From the enthusiasm displayed in practice, the basket ball season just opening will be as much a success as that of last year.

WILL INCREASE BATTING  
STRENGTH OF THE DUDES

Manager Lehman is negotiating with a number of the best batting players in the East with a view to securing material to strengthen the local nine. No definite arrangements have yet been made, but it is very likely that before long some heavy hitters will have been added to the team.

The new player will be assigned to either first, third or the field, depending upon what position he is best qualified to fill. Outside of their batting the Dudes are playing as good ball as anyone in the league. Their fielding is excellent and very little can be said against the men who fill the pitcher's box. The addition of a heavy batter to bring in runs at critical times will be of great advantage to the local team. Instead of losing so many games by one run, as they have been doing, the Dudes will be turning these defeats in to victories.

The Dudes will play the next series at Sacramento. The latter team is now in good shape and will no doubt put up strong games. San Francisco and Los Angeles will play across the bay and in this city Sunday morning.

Moore and Held have severed their connections with the Oakland team. They intend to go to Arizona and New Mexico to play in the league there.

For twenty-seven games Streib has played without making an error. He fills first base excellently.

Franks is considered one of the best shortstops in the League.

Arrelanes is somewhat erratic in his play. At times his work is brilliant, while at others it is very poor.

The Oakland team generally draws a larger crowd than any of the other teams. At Thursday's game in Los Angeles the attendance was nearly 10,000.

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Growth of Oakland and Suburbs.

	1890	1900
Oakland	42,632	66,560
Alameda	11,185	16,644
Berkeley	5,101	13,214
Fruitvale, etc.	3,108	8,168
Emeryville	223	1,016
	68,284	105,622

Population of Alameda County.

In 1899 ..... 95,864

In 1900 ..... 130,197

AMUSEMENTS.

Dewey—"Secret Service," Alcazar—"Silver Mounted Harness," FOX—"The Devil's Own," Central—"Great Diamond Robbery," Grand Opera House—"The Liars," California—"The Royal Box," Olympia—Vaudeville.

Picnics at Shell Mound Park.

August 18—League of Henry IV to 8 p.m.

August 25—Tyrone, Fornough and Donegal Social Club.

WEDNESDAY.....AUGUST 14, 1901.

SENATOR BARD'S UNFAIR POSITION.

Senator Bard's attitude towards certain elements of the Republican party is surprising, to say the least. He has seen fit to divert politics into personalities, and that, too, under conditions that are illegal and unfair in the extreme.

When Bard's political fate hung in the balance at the memorable extra session of the Legislature, it was Colonel Burns who came to his rescue and saved him—the very man against whom he is now waging a vendetta. It is a fact that can be proved beyond all question of doubt that after the adjournment of the caucus that declared in favor of Bard, Colonel Burns was approached by certain members who had participated in the Bard meeting and was urged to make a move that would result in the undoing of the man from Ilion. It was shown that a large number of those who had voted in caucus for Bard had done so for the reason that no other name was presented and that they were therefore practically forced into the position they had assumed. Furthermore, a list was presented to Colonel Burns of the names of those who were willing to bolt the caucus nomine provided they could be assured that someone else could be elected.

Investigation of the names thus placed in Colonel Burns' hands showed that nothing had been misrepresented, and adding to them the Burns vote that had remained intact from first to last, it was plain that the combination was enough to carry the day. Then it was that Colonel Burns took the position that secured for Bard, the United States Senatorship. He told those who urged him to thus turn the tide that in the interests of the Republican party, he believed it was their duty to stand by the caucus decision. The factional strife that had obtained would, he believed, be ended by their all standing together, and he therefore requested both his own forces and those volunteering to defeat Bard to go into convention and vote for the man from the South.

This was done, and now in return for this good will Bard never loses an opportunity to assail Colonel Burns and his friends. The moment that it is shown to him that an applicant for Federal appointment was or is a Burns man, he immediately arranges himself in opposition and continues that way. We fear that Senator Bard is suffering from ill-advised, who in order to further personal gain, are willing to sacrifice party interests, for it is patent that the policy in question must mean an indefinite continuance of frictional hostilities.

Chinese are flocking into the country over the Canadian border. In view of our boundary disputes up that way it looks as if we can't draw any kind of line in that part of the world.

## ABRAHAMSON'S FILE A PROTEST.

DO NOT LIKE THE INCREASE IN ASSESSMENT MADE BY CITY COUNCIL.

Give Their Reasons to the Equalizers for Making an Objection.

for the fiscal year 1901-1902, and the valuations placed thereon by your honorable body were so placed without having given the owners of said property a fair or any hearing before or when action was taken by your honorable body thereon.

SAID TO BE VOID.

"And the placing of said value thereon and upon each parcel thereof by your honorable body for such assessment purposes is without warrant of law and void; that the undersigned have thus been denied hearing and consideration and the opportunity thereto as to the valuation of their said property for said purposes, and all the valuations of said property and of the several parcels thereof placed thereon by your honorable body are each and all arbitrary, unjust, excessive, adversely discriminating against the undersigned and void. That the undersigned hereby protest against each and every valuation placed upon said property and each parcel thereof by your honorable body, and hereby give notice that they will oppose and resist any assessment or tax founded upon any of such valuations; that said several valuations, each and all, are the same as the original valuation of the several pieces of property upon which they have been placed by your honorable body and are higher than the values placed by your honorable body upon other properties of equal value and similarly situated, thus discriminating against, and, if enforceable, working a great damage to the undersigned."

## VALUATIONS.

"The valuations above referred to and protested against are as follows—in said block 175: Upon said lot 8, \$21,250; upon said northern 15 feet of said lot 7, \$1,000; upon said western 20 feet of said lot 9, \$12,000; and in said block 176, upon said western 70 feet of said lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, \$25,150—all of the excess of which valuations over and above the valuations thereof respectively as placed upon the above assessment book or rolls as the same came into your hands, is arbitrary, excessive, illegal, discriminating against the undersigned and void; that by reason of the premises the increasing of the valuation upon each of said parcels of land, over and above the several valuations thereof as the same appeared upon the assessment books or rolls when they came into your hands, is illegal, arbitrary, excessive, so discriminating and wholly void, and that the undersigned are willing to do and consent to be assessed and taxed upon all the several valuations thereof appearing upon said assessment books and rolls when the same came into your hands."

Dated, Oakland, August 13, 1901.

JULIUS ABRAHAMSON,  
HUGO ABRAHAMSON,  
"Protestants."

CUVELLIER'S POSITION.

"As soon as the Abrahamson protest had been read, Mr. Cuvellier said he did not know whether he was in order or not. He did not know how the proceedings had been conducted since the meeting of the Board. But if he was in order, he would move that the protests which had been ordered filed during the evening be reconsidered and taken up for immediate consideration, in order that they might be incurred into at once, so that the Council might know how to proceed in the premises."

Schaffer—The Board of Equalization is not acting according to its own judgment, but according to the advice of the City Attorney.

Cuvelier—I desire to take a stand as opposed in every manner to the raising of the assessment. If I am in order, I do not know that I am. I move that we take up protest one by one, because I want to take the stand in favor of the assessment made by the County Assessor. I make a motion to that effect. I don't know that it will be seconded.

Fitzgerald—Those are exactly my views.

## NOT TAKEN UP.

A vote was taken on Cuvelier's motion and the measure was lost, all the members present, save Cuvelier and Fitzgerald, voting in the negative, the abstainers being Rych and Wallace.

Then followed the reading of a number of protests of property owners against the raising of assessments, and the testimony of others with a similar purpose in view.

Whenever an attempt was made by the Council to raise an assessment Cuvelier and Fitzgerald voted "no".

## ASSESSING MORTGAGES.

When the night was far advanced, Mr. Schaffer, annoyed by the negative answers of the Councilmen in question, proposed that the Board of Equalization go into executive session for the purpose of enabling the real estate experts to give some information as regards the value of realty and the principle involved in the raising of assessments. All along, the Council, in increasing assessments, had simply raised the assessment to the sum of the mortgage.

When the idea of an executive session was suggested, Mr. Cuvelier said that that was not necessary. If the expert would simply tell them where the property was located with respect to streets instead of by lots and blocks, they would be able to form an opinion of the value of the property.

Schaffer—That shows how you have been voting wrong all night. That is why I proposed the executive session so that you might understand what is the principle by which the Council is governed.

Mr. Cuvelier said he did not think he was wrong.

Schaffer—You have shown it by your voting "no" on every proposition which has been acted upon tonight.

Mr. Cuvelier said that he was desirous of standing by the valuation placed by the County Assessor.

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German linen—reduced from.....\$3.00 to blue polka dot duck—reduced from.....\$2.75 to \$1.50	
Khaki, light blue galatea, blue denim, plain blue duck and polka dot blue duck, reduced from.....\$1.75 to 95 cents	
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\$6.00 wrappers—now \$3.00	
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1.75 wrappers—now 1.00	
1.40 wrappers—now .75	

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The following committee was appointed to select a delegate to the National Rivers and Harbors Congress which is to be held on October 9th and 10th at Baltimore, Maryland: Messrs. Brown, Cushing and Walker.

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were read and approved without alteration.

## APPLICATIONS FOR RELIEF.

Applications for relief were received as follows:

From Mrs. T. H. Greenblad, age 28, corner of East Thirty-third and Fourteenth avenue, and referred to Supervisor Rowe.

From Mathew Moriarty, age 70, of Niles, and referred to Supervisor Horner.

APPLICATIONS FOR FREE LICENSE.

From A. W. Walliser, John Ling, old man, who made application for free peddler's license for one year.

Supervisor Rowe moved that the applications be granted.

Lewis RETICENT.

C. R. Lewis appeared in behalf of his four lots near Fifteenth and Clay streets. The income of these, he said, was practically nothing. There were four houses on them which were of little value. The lots were assessed for \$6,000. They were not now in the trend of improvements. Of course improvements might go in their direction and then the property would be more valuable.

Courtney—How long since you bought the lots?

Lewis—About a year ago or more.

Mr. Wilcox said the property was in the neighborhood of valuable property. It seemed to him to be valuable.

Mr. Lewis said that property was valuable only when it had an income.

Courtney—If it is a fair question, will you tell how much you paid for the lots?

Lewis—I guess it does not make any difference how much I paid for them.

Courtney—I move the assessment stand.

The motion prevailed, Messrs. Fitzgerald and Cuvelier voting no.

## ASSESSMENTS RAISED.

Resolutions were adopted raising assessments as follows:

Lots 19, 20, 21, 22, Block 12, Hugh Jones, from \$45 to \$1,125.

Lot 9, Block 14, A. Borman, from \$175 to \$100.

Improvements on lot 13, Block 2, from \$1,552 to \$2,456, and lot 23, from \$2,800 to \$3,700.

Lena Christensen, portion of lots 17 and 18 in block 25, from \$2,200 to \$2,750.

LAI'D OVER.

The following property owners had the matter of raising their assessments continued until this morning at 10 o'clock:

E. W. Player, Emily S. Pardoe, Frank G. Drum, Geo. C. Farde, S. H. Palmer, Nellie S. Edward, J. Fabor, A. S. Macdonald, G. M. J. Scott, Mrs. Henrietta E. and Sylvester Clark, James Presbo, Claude B. Tucken, Thomas E. Hanson, M. M. Dunn, Chas. Camden, Charles Jurgens, P. Harding, Margaret Hart, Real Estate Comble, John R. Spring, Bacon Land and Loan Company, Arthur E. and Amelia B. Stevens.

Resolutions were adopted notifying street railway men to appear to show cause why their property should not have its assessment raised.

Wilcox—if there is anything on the road we want to get at it is the Railroad Company.

Schaffer—I move that the matter be left over for a typewriter to be referred to the Auditing, Finance and License Committee.

The Auditing, Finance and License Committee, to whom had been referred the application for permits of Hermann Goehlich and Joseph Bernard, presented their reports recommending that the request be granted.

Then appropriate resolutions were introduced and adopted granting to said Hermann Goehlich and to said Joseph Bernard permits for licenses for the sale of liquor by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Horner, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—3.

Noes—None.

Supervisors Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—2.

Noes—None.

Supervisors Rowe and Talcott—2.

Noes—None.

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Noes—None.

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Noes—None.

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Noes—None.

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Noes—None.

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Noes—None.

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Noes—None.

Supervisors Rowe and Talcott—2.

Noes—None.

Supervisors Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—2.

Noes—None.

Supervisors Rowe and Talcott—2.

Noes—None.





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# SENSATIONAL DOCUMENT.

## ALAMEDA MAN IS ROBBED.

**Knocked Down by Footpads While Walking Along Mission Street.**

MANILA, Aug. 14.—A pamphlet was published broadcast yesterday containing an attack on the United States Philippine Commission, signed by the General Assembly. All the members of that body indignantly deny having any connection with the publication. The leaders say nobody was more disgusted at such a publication than themselves.

They believe the pamphlet was issued by a local paper in an endeavor to create a sensation, as the paper was published simultaneously with the issue of the pamphlet. The latter was nominally in favor of the church called "the people's church," and against Judge Taft, the Civil Governor, and "the rest of the pickety brawlers running the Government of the United States," and saying: "They have declared war against God."

Prominent Catholics are awaiting Governor Taft's return to Manila in order to repudiate in behalf of the church the sentiments contained in the pamphlet.

An insurgent captain and eighteen men belonging to Malvar's forces surrendered yesterday.

### WILL SETTLE THE SUTRO CONTEST OUT OF COURT

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—The trial of the contest of Mrs. Clara Kluge Sutro against the will of the late Adolph Sutro was set for this morning before Judge Coffey but it was continued to tomorrow with the understanding that the case will be settled out of the court by the payment to Mrs. Sutro of a sum sufficient to satisfy her claim to a portion of the rich estate.

#### HOSPITAL CASES.

J. James, a machinist residing at 5th Hobart street, was treated at the Redwood Hospital this morning for a cut finger.

Attorney Howard K. James was treated yesterday afternoon for a minor injury resulting from a fall from a street car in front of the Court House.

#### LICENSED TO MARRY.

Lewis Martin Ross, Occidental, 18; Elizabeth Arnes Hamilton, Oakland, 22; Edwin Forest Ackerman, Oakland, over ..... 21; Alice Lillian Brown, Oakland, over ..... 18; Ferdinand Levin von Linderman, San Francisco ..... 32; Sarah Neal, San Francisco ..... 32.

#### DIED IN BERKELEY.

Mrs. Hattie Belle Cooper, aged 40, a native of Kansas, died at her home in Berkeley yesterday. She leaves two daughters, Lelia and Eva Cooper, and a husband to mourn her loss. The date of the funeral has not yet been announced.

#### HE STRUCK A WOMAN.

On Sunday evening last the Cafe Bohemia produced another fight between a man and woman, resulting in the story being told in the Police Court this morning.

Charles Eggert was convicted of having committed battery on the person of Mrs. Anna Fisher.

Eggert, his wife, and Mrs. Fisher had been drinking in the cafe during the evening. Eggert suggested going home and the two left the place. When they reached the sidewalk Mrs. Fisher desired to go back into the saloon. Eggert would not acquiesce in her wish. After an altercation, lasting several minutes, Mrs. Fisher announced her intention of returning to the saloon whether she was accompanied or not. Eggert forcibly prevented her and according to the testimony of three eye witnesses, Officers Turner, Fleming and Arrest, Eggert struck her in the face.

#### SCANLON WILL APPEAL.

Policeman Jack Scanlan, who has been denied reinstatement as Sergeant on the force, announced this afternoon that he will appeal his case to the courts.

#### MORRISON'S CASE.

The case of Policeman John Morrison, charged with drunkenness, was reopened this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock to take evidence.

#### DR. WOOLSEY IS ILL.

Dr. E. H. Woolsey is slightly indisposed and will not be about for a few days.

#### HIGH SCHOOL WORK DELAYED BY STRIKE

BERKELEY, Aug. 14.—Despite the fact that the Board of Education postponed the opening of the High School three weeks later than usual, the members of that body find that it will be impossible to start instruction in the new building next Monday as was scheduled. The new structure is far from being completed and will take at least two months more to complete.

Contractor Greig says that the strike is responsible for the condition of affairs.

The classes will be organized in the Commercial School on Center street next week. The senior class will meet Monday morning, the middle class Tuesday morning and the ninth grade or sub-junior class Tuesday afternoon.

BERKELEY LETTER CARRIER WAS BADLY INJURED

BERKELEY, Aug. 14.—It has been ascertained that Robert Welch, the letter carrier who collided with a telephone pole while riding his wheel, sustained a severe concussion of the brain. He is now in a precarious condition at his home on Vine and Wall streets.

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## ALAMEDA MAN IS ROBBED.

## FIRE IN A LIVERMORE HOME

**Knocked Down by Footpads While Walking Along Mission Street.**

ALAMEDA, Aug. 14.—Frank Navis, a well known mining engineer of 329 Park street, Alameda, was held up and robbed last night at the corner of First and Mission streets in San Francisco.

While walking along Mission street Navis was suddenly struck from behind and knocked down. Two men then jumped on him and proceeded to rifle his pockets.

He was relieved of \$50 in cash, a silver watch and a draft for \$300.

#### NEWS NOTES FROM THE SUPERIOR COURT

Catherine N. McDermott has been granted an allowance of \$74 a month from the estates of her wards for their support. The wards are Lillian E. Edward N., Benjamin H., William J. Frederick J., Catherine M. and John W. Wuelner. Mrs. McDermott has been guardian of the children since 1899. Heretofore she has been allowed \$47 a month for their support.

J. B. Lankford, John Barnet and W. H. Hoy were appointed to appraise the estate of F. J. A. Gansberg, deceased.

An answer has been filed to the cross-complaint in the law suit of the Humboldt Lumber Company against Henry M. Yerke and others. A general denial is made.

H. H. Rand has filed his appointment as a Deputy Sheriff.

#### THEY ARE AGAINST THE UNION JACK

VALETTA, Island of Malta, Aug. 14.—The discontent here, arising from the language question, and other grievances, is growing more acute. Sunday the Union Jack was torn to pieces in the streets by a large body of demonstrators. This was followed by the disfigurement of Queen Victoria's jubilee statue last night. The marble was deluged with damaging acids. The perpetrators of the outrages have not been discovered.

#### NO CHANGE IN TEAMSTERS' STRIKE.

The teamsters' strike remains in the same condition that has characterized it during the past three weeks. Walking Delegate Johansen is advising the union on the progress and development of strike conditions in the city and beyond this there is but little of local interest. Work on the front is still suffering and the only business being done is the unloading of the Highland Light at the Howard Coal Company's wharf.

#### SECRET SERVICE AT THE DEWEY THEATER.

Landers Stevens and his popular company continue to be the attraction at the Dewey Theater. "Secret Service" has made the hit of the season. Every evening the house is packed to the doors. The play will be continued all the week.

#### JOHN F. BOYD FOUND DEAD AT SAN RAFAEL

SAN RAFAEL, Cal., Aug. 4.—This morning the world was shocked this morning upon hearing of the untimely death of John Boyd, the oldest son of John F. Boyd, the capitalist of this city. The young man was found dead in his room, death being caused by asphyxiation. The room was filled with gas. Death was due solely to accident. The victim was 17 years old.

#### JOHN F. BOYD FOUND DEAD AT SAN RAFAEL

LANDERS STEVENS AND HIS COMPANY CONTINUE TO BE THE ATTRACTION AT THE DEWEY THEATER.

#### DID NOT STEAL BOOKS.

LIBRARIAN GREENE STATES THAT THE RECENT ANNOUNCEMENT OF MANY BOOKS BEING STOLEN FROM THE PHILIP LIBRARY CARRIES A WRONG IMPRESSION. THE BOOKS WERE NOT STOLEN WITH CRIMINAL INTENT TO PLUNDER THE LIBRARY, BUT HAVE BEEN TAKEN AND NOT RETURNED PRINCIPALLY THROUGH THE PATRON'S CARELESSNESS.

#### KILLED ON BRIDGE.

STOCKTON, Cal., Aug. 14.—At the Joaquin bridge, twelve miles south of Stockton, an unknown man was run over and killed this morning by Southern Pacific train number 12. He was walking along the track at the time. This is the third man killed by railroad trains in this vicinity in three days. The two others were D. Smith and Conductor Atkins.

#### DIVORCE CASES IN COURT.

The courts are being kept busy with divorce cases at present.

Mrs. Sarah E. S. Smith, who is suing Wilson M. Smith for a divorce on the ground of desertion, has filed notice that on August 23d she will make a motion for \$100 alimony, \$500 counsel fees and \$150 costs.

A publication of summonses has been ordered in the case of Henrietta Wise against Levy W. Wise. The defendant resides at Fort Snelling, Minn.

The following cases have been referred to the Court Commissioner to take testimony, the defendants having defaulted: Frances Wyber against Albert C. Wyber; George W. Travis against Jessie Travis; Jennie Bambridge against Frank G. Bambridge; and George Flegel against Minnie Flegel.

#### POLICE BOARD MEETS.

At the meeting of the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners this afternoon J. H. C. Alexander made serious charges against Officer Sill, who arrested him on March 3 of this year.

He says that Sill handled him roughly in arresting him, kicked him in the face after he had put him into a cell, which so injured him that he (Alexander) has not been able to do any work since.

#### HONORS FOR A COUNT.

BERLIN, Aug. 14.—The Lokal-Anzeiger says the Csar has conferred on Field Marshal Count von Waldersee the Andreas Order with diamonds and swords, being the highest Russian decoration and the third time the order ever has been conferred with swords. The incident is regarded as emphasizing the excellent official relations between Germany and Russia.

#### PRETORIUS IS DEAD.

JAGERSFONTEIN, Orange River Colony, Tuesday, Aug. 15.—Commander Pretorius, who was recently shot through the eyes, is dead.

#### EASTERN WEATHER.

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—Temperatures at 7 A. M.: New York, 70; Boston, 66; Philadelphia, 70; Washington, 72; Chicago, 74; Minneapolis, 66; Cincinnati, 72; St. Louis, 74.

#### FIRE AT FOLSOM.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Aug. 14.—A fire in the Chinese quarters of Folsom yesterday destroyed five or six buildings. The loss will be small.

#### PURCHASE OF SYNDICATE.

The Union Savings Bank has conveyed to George Sterling of the Reality Syndicate twenty-three lots in plot 13, Piedmont Tract, for \$2,000. The lots have been mortgaged back again to two banks for \$1,500.

#### WOMAN TO BE A CITIZEN.

Mary Selina Davie, a native of Great Britain, who has resided here for fourteen years, has signed her intention of becoming a citizen of the United States.

#### CHARGED WITH BURGLARY.

Thomas Baylen, charged with burglary, pleaded guilty this morning and had his case set for trial on August 27th.

#### WILL GO TO REFORM SCHOOL.

Joseph Bittely, a boy charged with burglary, pleaded guilty this morning. He will be sent to the Reform School.

#### HAS GOLD ON BOARD.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Aug. 14.—The Oceanic S. S. Company's steamer Venado, sailing from here for San Francisco, having on board £500,000 in gold,

is one of the best pianos in the market in its grade and can be purchased at a moderate price and on easy terms.

Can be exchanged and full price paid allowed within three years for Weber or any other make carried by us.

#### LADIES CAN WEAR SHOES.

One such as the Allen's Foot Ease, ought to be chosen in the market. It is light and comfortable. It gives instant relief to corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort for the aged. It cures and prevents corns, feet, heel callus, etc. Allen's Foot Ease is certain cure for swelling, hot, aching feet. At all drugists and shoe stores, 25c. Trial package FREE by mail. Address Allen S. Olmsted, 14 Bay, N. Y.

#### SCANDAL AT SAN LEANDRO.

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Trouble at the Gomes Home Results in a Divorce Case.

SAN LEANDRO, Aug. 14.—As a result of the Gomes trouble which occurred last week, John A. Borge, a brother of Mrs. Gomes, has secured a divorce from his wife. Mrs. Borge was visiting at the Gomes home when the difficulty arose.

In an interview with Mrs. Gomes, she stated that she had not come to her home the eventful evening with the intentions of watching her husband, as she had no suspicions of what was going on, and had only intended surprising them.

As it was, she was so greatly surprised that she was taken to her bed at once and has not been able to get up since.

At the time of the affair Mrs. Gomes was returning from the Alameda State Hospital, where she had undergone an operation. Thinking she was well enough to leave, she planned to surprise her family by coming home without informing them of her intentions.

Mrs. Gomes has a host of friends who are shocked at the way in which she has been treated. In all probability a divorce will result, but nothing will be done until the lady has recovered from nervous prostration.

Gomes is a prominent business man of this place. He conducts a grocery store next to the postoffice.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES.

Engagement of Miss Meade and Russell Stedman Announced.

One of the most interesting engagements of the season is that of Miss Stella Virginia Meade and Russell R. Stedman. The announcement of the engagement was made last evening.

Miss Meade is the charming and accomplished daughter of ex-Sheriff and Mrs. J. O. Meade of Fresno. She is very popular in the latter town and has a host of friends there. She is residing temporarily in Oakland because of her mother's delicate health, the latter finding that this climate agrees with her. Miss Meade was educated in a fashionable private school in Fresno.

Mr. Stedman is one of the most popular young newspaper men in Oakland. For a number of years he has been connected with the business department of the Enquirer. He is a member of the Oakland Lodge of Elks, the Nile Club, Athens Parlor, N. S. G. W., and the San Francisco Press Club. Mr. Stedman has a host of friends here and is exceedingly popular in both business and social circles.

BIBLE MEETINGS IN THE LOCAL CHURCHES.

Bible conferences are to be held in the First Presbyterian Church tomorrow, Friday and Sunday. The official program is as follows:

Thursday—2:30 P. M., devotional; Genesis, Rev. D. M. Stearns; Divine Sonship, Rev. C. H. Herrick; Judas, Rev. A. B. Prichard; 7:30 P. M.—Revelation, Rev. D. M. Stearns; The Witness of the Spirit, Rev. A. B. Prichard.

Friday—2:30 P. M., Questions Answered, Rev. D. M. Stearns; Three Lost Truths, Rev. C. H. Herrick; Judas, Rev. A. B. Prichard; 7:30 P. M., The Cherubim, Rev. A. B. Prichard.

Wednesday, August 15, Oakland Prayer meetings, 7:30 P. M.—First Presbyterian Church, Rev. D. M. Stearns; First Methodist Church, Rev. A. C. Hitchcock, General Agent, Union Pacific R. Co., No. 1 Montgomery St., San Francisco, in regard to reduced round trip rates to these points. Three trains via this route leave California daily. The time of the "Overland Limited" to Chicago is less than three days, and to Buffalo three and one-half days, which is nearly a day quicker than any other line.

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